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This is responsive to the Office Action mailed October 10, 2007 the term for response to which expires on January 10, 2008.

Amendments to the Claims are set forth in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. Claims 1-10 and 19-20 are canceled; claims 11, 15, 21 and 22 are amended; claims 12-14 and 16-18 are maintained; and claims 23-29 are added.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.